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The Stockholders of the Bangor and Piscataquis Railroad Company are hereby notified that the annual meeting of said Company will be held in the Common Council Room, City Hall Building, in Bangor, on Wednesday, March 20th next, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the following purposes:—

1st—To hear and act upon the reports of the officers of the Company.

2d—To elect a Board of Directors for the ensuing year.

3d—To act upon any other business that may properly come before the meeting.

J. W. BLOOD, Clerk.

Bangor, March 4th ...

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Of all Kinds, at

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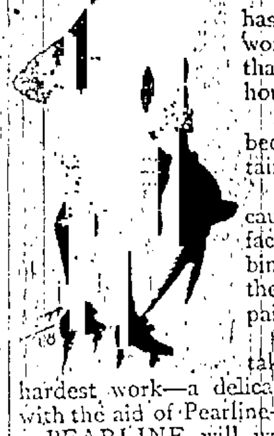
Washing Compound



has become more popular with the women of this land—in less time—than anything ever invented for the household.

The intelligent rich use Pearline because of the superior results obtained—*perfect cleanliness.*

The intelligent middle class—because of the superior results, and the fact that, in doing away with the rubbing, it does away with the worst of the wear and tear on clothing and paint—*makes a saving.*

The intelligent poor—because it takes the drudgery out of their hardest work—a delicate woman can do a large wash with the aid of Pearline—*know it's better than soap.*

PEARLINE will wash clothes—clean paint, china, silver, glassware, windows, oil paintings, carpets without taking up—better—in less time and with less labor than anything known; besides it is absolutely harmless.

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at the mercy of our customers,

UNTIL MARCH 15th,

And Not a Day Longer. We offer

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In Every Department.

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J. WATERMAN'S
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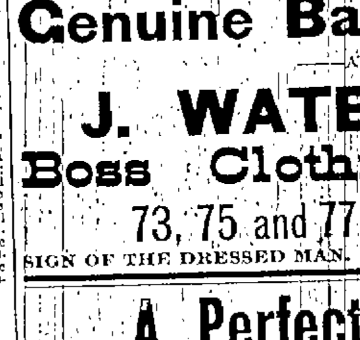

should be mild, prompt, and pleasant, with no griping or purgative effects. It should also incite the liver to action, aid digestion, and relieve the kidneys. Like nothing else, Paine's Celery Compound is a perfect laxative, and cures constipation where all other remedies fail.

"As a gentle laxative, Paine's Celery Compound is surely without a peer. I think I ought to know, since I have tried remedy after remedy for about five or six years and have found nothing that equals it in my case of costiveness." J. B. JENKINS, Teacher, Cloyd's Creek, Tenn.

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1,000 HANDSOME SAVINGS BANKS.

Every Boy's Suit sold will entitle the purchaser to one FREE. Now bring your Boys! We are ready for them! Have added THIS WEEK

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Choicest Styles and Prices that are Rock Bottom.

No goods misrepresented; everybody treated courteously whether you purchase or not. Examine our NOBBY NECKWEAR.

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STATE NEWS.

Androscoggin.

The management of the Aged Ladies' Home in Auburn are arranging for a two days' fair or other entertainment to be given in Auburn Hall in April. It is for the purpose of raising funds for putting a new system of heating in the Home and for making other needed improvements, that the enterprise is being planned.

Cumberland.

Chief of Fire Department Cloyes' report shows that the expenses of the Portland fire department have succeeded the amount appropriated by between $2,000 and $3,000.

The winter term of Westbrook Seminary closed Friday. A large junior class organized Thursday, with H. H. Hoyt, of Peabody, as president. Reports show the largest attendance for ten years, and favorable prospects for the spring term, which begins Tuesday, March 19th.

An unknown man has been frightening women after dark on Portland bridge lately. Thursday night he attacked three different women, choking them until their cries frightened him to let them go. He is thought to be wrong in his mind and he will be attended to if he attempts to frighten more persons.

The Forest City Sugar Refinery will probably start up in April with a force of 150 men. They will refine about seven hundred barrels of sugar a day. The dealers in raw sugar are putting the price up, while the refiners are trying to keep the price as it is. Owing to the scarcity of the sugar crop the price will probably go up. The prospects for the sugar market are a strong demand with higher prices.

Franklin.

A liquor case was in the court at Farmington, Thursday. It was that of Ready & Walsh, wholesale liquor dealers of Washington, D. C., against Theodore L. Page, proprietor of the Elmwood Hotel, Phillips, and the United States Senate cafe. The suit was for the sum of $450.50, and was to recover for lager beer furnished to Page by the plaintiffs. Mr. Sawyer, for Page, claimed that the liquor was purchased for illegal sale in Maine, and that therefore, the bill was not collectable. E. O. Greenleaf, for the firm, asserted that there was no proof, but that the beer was furnished to sell in the senate cafe in Washington, and that by its being purchased in that city, such was the presumption. The jury evidently took the same view of the case that Mr. Greenleaf did, for they brought in a verdict for the liquor firm for the full amount of their bill. This is the first case of the kind that was ever won in Maine under the prohibitory laws.

Hancock.

Mrs. Eliza K. Smith, an aged lady, was found dead at her home on Kimball's Island, recently. Her son, Benj. Smith, had been at Isle au Haut, and on returning found his mother dead on the floor. Heart trouble is the supposed cause, reports the Deer Isle *Gazette.*

Kennebec.

Mr. James Matthews, the genial chef, whose delicious viands tickled the palates of the Augusta House epicures, tried to shut off the electric lights in the kitchen last Thursday without stopping to dry his dripping fingers. As a result a drop of moisture connected his hand with the wire, and he received a severe shock which knocked him senseless. He remained motionless for nearly three hours, but finally recovered and was able to be about Saturday. Mrs. Dutton, who was standing near when the accident occurred, also experienced a slight shock.

Lincoln.

Already the lumber dealers are receiving orders and letters of inquiry from parties out of the State, regarding summer cottages, and the coming season promises to be one of unusual liveliness in the popular resorts about the lower Kennebec and Boothbay. Boothbay Harbor shows plainly the effects of her new life, and now that the water system, which has been desired so long, is to become a reality, capital feels safer in the place and is beginning to invest. Five Islands also adds to its summer houses, and all along the "Back River" new cottages will spring up the coming season. The Isle of Springs proved its worth as one of the pleasantest resorts for real comfortable recreation on the Maine coast last summer, and is causing much inquiry to be made by parties who propose to build cottages on these shores.

Piscataquis.

The new dynamo in the factory of T. J. Stewart & Co., at Milo, was given a satisfactory trial, Friday. The lights are of the incandescent variety, twenty candle power, and illuminate the mill and yard in a brilliant manner. This is the second electric light plant established in the county, the first having been placed several years ago in the Willimantic spool mill. As soon as practicable in the spring it is probable that a new wheel will be set up on the Stewart's privilege, and the plant enlarged so as to furnish light for the stores and streets of the town.

Sagadahoc.

There is much anxiety felt in Bowdoinham for the safety of the bark Murray which is now about one hundred and twenty-five days from Philadelphia to Buenos Ayres. Mr. Spear Seagley, a Bowdoinham boy, is mate on her.

An exchange says that the following is an actual fact: A certain publishing company sent a package of stamped envelopes to their agent at Bath. An intelligent clerk at the post office, who has just passed a civil service examination, opened the package and cancelled every one of those stamped envelopes. He then replaced them in their original position and sent the package on its way. It is needless to say the post office made the stamps good.

Somerset.

Among the bidders for the contract of building the new public library to be erected at Skowhegan in memory of the late Gov. Abner Coburn are Choate & Snell, J. P. Wyman and William Wing, Jr., of Augusta, and Horace Purinton, Foster & Son and Philbrick Bros., of Waterville. The bids will be opened March 15.

York.

The selectmen of Parsonsfield are requested to put an article into the warrant to see if the town will exempt from taxation a woolen factory at Kezar Falls, if one is built.

Farmers' Institutes.

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John Ericsson's Death.

A SKETCH OF THE FAMOUS OLD INVENTOR—HIS NEW CALORIC ENGINE, ALMOST COMPLETED, OCCUPIED HIS LAST ACTIVE HOURS.

Before a miner's cottage in the Swedish village of Langbanshyttan, in the province of Wermland—but for this unknown to fame—stands a plain granite shaft, eighteen feet high, bearing this record in letters of gold:

"JOHN ERICSSON
WAS BORN HERE IN 1803."

In Beach street, New York, at No. 36, one of a row of dwellings which all suggest "Bleak House," John Ericsson died at 12.30, Friday morning.

An inhabitant of three countries, each in turn benefitted by his genius, none of them too lavish in its rewards—though his native land did bestow on him over a dozen titles of honor—Ericsson in his eighty-six years of life was a tremendous factor in human progress, and his importance can only be properly estimated when the evolutionary forces of the rounded nineteenth century come to be weighed and compared. Notwithstanding Mr. Ericsson's age, the news of his death was everywhere received with great surprise. He lived the life of a recluse and was abstemious almost to asceticism. The regularity of his habits preserved his vital functions after he had arrived at this prime almost unimpaired. One of his friends who had known him for twenty years said that he had been unable to discern any change in Mr. Ericsson's appearance during all that time. His few intimate friends—seldom has a famous man had fewer—grew old around him.

CHANGES ALL AROUND HIM

His house at No. 36 Beach street, saw its companions depopulated of their first and fashionable tenants, and filled successively with classes degenerating in social standing. Big, ugly warehouses reared themselves before Ericsson's windows. Rum-shops invaded the street corners, and the neighborhood became squalid. Still, within, the furniture of every room was that first provided for it, arranged in the same precise way which first secured for him Ann Cassidy, who has kept house for him for forty years, her master's approval, and the master himself, clad, apparently, in the same old English frock coat, the same old yellow buff vest, the same loose tie, the same trousers—not the most graceful that could be imagined—and, with his black hair unsilvered and his black whiskers trimmed as they were when he raced his locomotive, "The Novelty," against George Stephenson's "Rocket," presented to the two or three people who saw him day after day the appearance of a man who has stolen the secret of Time, and set it at defiance.

Captain Ericsson was, like his Monitor, built for power, and not for elegance. He was short of stature, stout, but not fleshy; compact and muscular. His features were rugged, his hands knotted and heavy. He had a voice of great volume, by no means musical, but clear as a clarion. On his eighty-sixth birthday, July 31 last—which was celebrated by the Swedes of New York with a serenade—he looked like a man of about forty-five years, and good for forty-five years more. He fought against his deadly ailment—a complication of kidney troubles—for about a month, and would not admit to his friends that he was ill, but kept up his routine of work and exercise until a fortnight ago.

DIVISIONS OF HIS DAY.

Captain Ericsson's carefully divided day lasted from seven o'clock in the morning until midnight. Twelve hours of the seventeen were devoted to labor. His chief exercise was walking, and after nightfall he was accustomed to tramp long distances. To Central Park and back was a favorite round. His meals were plain, and he carefully selected the most strengthening food, eating, for instance, only a certain kind of bread, which was specially prepared for him by the same baker for many years. Fourteen days ago his strength began to fail him. Urgently persuaded by his private secretary, S. W. Taylor, who had held his position for over twenty-five years, Captain Ericsson took to his bed. Doctors were called in, but Mr. Ericsson's procrastination had cost him his life. It was too late. The physicians could do little or nothing, and he died. Mr. Taylor, who during all the fourteen days had not had his clothes off, was with him at the last. So was his engineer, V. W. Lassoe, another old associate. To these two the great inventor committed his dying wish. It was that his house might be kept as it is for a year, during which they should jointly complete the new caloric engine on which he was engaged when arrested by sickness; but for the perfecting of which he left what he considered to be instructions enough and money enough.

It is impossible here to give more than a mere sketch of a life so long and so busy. If his biography is written and published, it will be one of the most complete ever given to the world; for, from his early manhood, Captain Ericsson kept a diary. There are between sixty and seventy volumes of it, piled up in the old Beach street house. He was the son of a miner, and while a mere boy developed extraordinary mechanical and mathematical genius. It "ran in the family" for his brother, Nils, also attained great distinction, and his nephews in Sweden have made reputations there. As a member of the Swedish corps of engineers and a lieutenant in the army, John Ericsson made his mark; but his first notable accomplishment was achieved after he had settled in England, where he went in 1826, and where his locomotive, in the celebrated trial, beat Stephenson's for speed and gained for him the highest praises of *The London Times* and the other principal newspapers of the day.

THE FAMOUS PROPELLER.

His invention of the propeller followed this feat, and gave him to America, for the members of the British Admiralty Board characteristically scoffed at the invention, which they were glad enough to adopt after its usefulness had been manifested in America and they made themselves laughing-stocks to succeeding generations by declaring that they couldn't see how a ship could be propelled at the stern and at the same time steered! In America it is the Monitor that will make Ericsson's name forever famous in the historic annals of the country. This new ironclad, perhaps, turned the whole tide of the civil war; it certainly gained for the North the supremacy by sea, and did more, for in the defeat of the Merrimac the necessity for a change of marine construction was recognized by all the nations, and the naval armament of the world was revolutionized. A few years ago Captain Ericsson invented another "terror of the seas," the Destroyer, the model of a new torpedo boat.

But Ericsson's inventions for peace are no less renowned than those for war. His house is full of models. His great solar motor is believed to be complete, though it has never been put into use. Many of the parts of his famous locomotive are to be found repeated in locomotives of modern build. His first caloric engine is popular. His propeller, as all the world knows, is a triumph, and his new caloric engine promises great results.

A WIDOWER AND CHILDLESS.

Captain Ericsson was married fifty years ago, in London, but his wife died early, leaving no children. He has no relatives in this country, but has some nephews and nieces in Sweden. His funeral was held at noon, on Monday, in Trinity church, and his firm friend, the Rev. Dr. Morgan Dix, officiated. After that, in accordance with his wishes, the embalmed body will be placed in a metallic coffin and taken to Sweden, to be buried beside the granite monument that marks his birthplace.

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[illegible] ... tors are George H. Robinson, William H. Wallace, Eden Sprout and Cornelius S. Bushnell. Mr. Bushnell succeeded C. H. Delamater, who was originally designated, but died only four weeks ago. Captain Ericsson has made no provision in his will for the disposition of the models which fill his house. No doubt they will be given to the Smithsonian Institution, or some kindred institution. It has been said of Southey, "No one of his generation lived so completely in and for literature as did Southey." So surely "no one of his generation lived so completely in and for the science of mechanics as did John Ericsson."

Agricultural and Household Matters.

"Can the crops of the farm be so consumed on the farm as to increase its fertility from year to year?" This question was the subject for discussion at a recent meeting of the Penobscot County Farmers' Club where many of the most thriving farmers in the county were present and took an active part in the discussion. The prevailing opinion was decidedly in the affirmative, and in many cases it had been proved by careful experiments. It was admitted by all that under proper conditions it could be done every time; the waste that could not be helped was more than made up by the air and rainfall. If all the dressing was carefully saved and returned to the soil; the land drained of all surplus water, then thoroughly pulverized, made light and capable of retaining all the plant food in the dressing applied, there would be no difficulty in keeping up the fertility of the soil providing always that the products of the farm are fed to the proper kind of farm stock. In the most cases dairy stock was preferred.

One of the best and earliest vegetables is asparagus, coming into use as it does before any other productions of the open ground. Many do not know its excellence, and many who do are deterred from planting by the impression that a great deal of care and trouble are necessary to the operation.

Go light on novelties. The seed dealer may be reliable and tell the truth, but his ground and method of culture may be like yours, and if not, his results are not a safe guide.

There is a growing feeling that brood sows should not have any corn while suckling their pigs, but have slop and such other food as will induce abundant milk secretions.

A great mistake of farm life is buying all the modern machinery for cultivating the farm while the housewife has nothing to aid her in her work. Let man and wife be co-partners in the farm work; let the wife understand the work of her husband and enter into it in spirit. As the woman rises in character so man rises. Never was a farmer known to rise above the level of the morals of his wife.

In many cases decay or rot in trees can be stopped by carefully removing all the decayed portion to the sound wood, then covering it with liquid shellac or common white lead, being careful not to paint the bark.

One instance of the evil influence of habit is the persistency with which some farmers keep up the custom of killing their hogs at a particular time in the year. Fresh pork is wanted in large markets all the time, and it is often the case that the farmer loses more than the price of the food by keeping a hog, three months to wait for "killing time." Many farmers of the present day are pursuing a different course.

Out of twenty-six varieties of oats tested at the Wisconsin Experiment Station, the White Schonen is found to be the best, and is placed at the head of the list. Of barley, the Monsbury is reported the best out of ten varieties tried, and Prof. Henry considers it the most desirable of all varieties for the general crop.

Get plans for spring work well formed, every interest carefully considered, the details of work arranged, and the good effect will be seen all through the busy season, when exacting labor will run more smoothly.

Prepare to have a good garden this year. Now is the time to start the hot beds for starting the various plants which require a long season to mature. Make your fields as near like a garden as possible.

Uses for Salt.

Many uses have been found for salt besides the seasoning of our food, and it is so inexpensive that it is within the reach of everyone. It will kill weeds, when sprinkled on the walks, remove slight fruit stains, promote the growth of the hair, dissolved in alcohol it removes grease spots from cloth, and when put in the wash water prevents black calicoes from fading.

After a carpet is well swept, go over it with a clean cloth and clear salt water and the colors will be greatly brightened; or, if in a hurry, scatter the salt over the carpet before sweeping and the result will be the same.

No compound should be used in washing delicate colored goods; a handful of salt in the water will set the colors of light cambrics and lawn.

Salt sprinkled plentifully on icy doorsteps has a better and cleaner effect than ashes.

Willow furniture and straw matting are cleansed by washing with salt and water.

When eaten with nuts, it aids digestion, is used as a blood purifier, and will instantly relieve heartburn if half a teaspoonful in a little cold water be taken. It is also soothing to weak and tired eyes.

If applied immediately, it removes ink-stains. Add a pinch of salt to the whites of eggs to make them froth quickly, and when anything is burning on the stove sprinkle salt over it to prevent any disagreeable odor.

A nightly gargle of salt and water strengthens the throat and keeps off bronchial attacks. Even for a sting this useful substance is called into use; make a thick plaster of moistened salt, bind on the place, and the venom will be extracted.

To kill insects or worms at the foot of houseplants, pour strong salt water over the earth, being careful not to touch the leaves of the plants. If the flue catches on fire, never throw water down the chimney; as it ruins the carpets; use coarse salt instead. When soot drops on the carpet, cover the spot thickly with salt, then sweep up.

Prof. James W. Robertson of the Ontario Agricultural College says:

1. See that the cows have ... pasture [illegible] supply of good, wholesome feed. Supplement the grass with bran or grain. Corn and pease make firm butter. If grass be dry or scarce, furnish green fodder. The quality of the feed determines to some extent the quality of the fat globules in the milk. Fine butter is mostly composed of these. Green fodder is fed with better effect on the quality of the butter after being wilted for a day or two.

2. See that the cows have a liberal supply of pure cold water. As well might a cook expect to make good palatable porridge out of musty oatmeal and stagnant water, as to get pure sweet-flavored, wholesome milk out of musty food and foul drink consumed by a cow.

3. See that the cows have access to salt every day. They know best when to help themselves.

4. Let the cows be saved from annoyance and worry. Any harsh treatment that excites a cow lessens the quantity and injures the quality of her yield.

5. Where practicable, let the cows be milked regularly as to time, and by the same person.

6. The udders should be well brushed, and then rubbed with a damp, coarse towel before milking.

7. All milk should be carefully strained immediately after the milking is completed.

8. Thorough airing of the milk for a few minutes by dipping, pouring or stirring, will improve the flavor of the butter.

9. When set for the rising of the cream, milk should be at a temperature above 90°.

10. When shallow open pans are used for setting it is most important that the surrounding air be pure. A damp cellar is not a fit place for milk.

11. When deep-setting pails are used, the water in the tank should be kept below or as near 45° as possible.

12. The skimming should not be delayed longer than four hours.

13. Cream should invariably be removed from the milk before it is sour.

Grange Meetings.

Union Pomona Grange—Next meeting with Georges River Grange, Appleton, Tuesday, March 12.

Waldo County Pomona Grange—Next meeting with Honesty Grange, Morrill, Tuesday, March 12.

Kennebec County Pomona Grange—Next meeting with Cascade Grange, Oakland Wednesday, March 13.

Hancock County Pomona Grange—Next meeting with Oriental Grange, West Gouldsboro, Saturday, March 16.

Penobscot Pomona Grange—Next meeting with Rural Grange, Veazie, Saturday, March 23.

North Penobscot Pomona Grange—Next meeting at Mattawamkeag, Wednesday, March 27.

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THE CITY ELECTION.

The election in this city yesterday resulted in a sweeping victory for the Republicans. For some time past the Democrats have realized that it was practically useless for them to attempt a serious contest this spring in view of the demoralized condition of their party after the National defeat of last fall, hence some of the older heads sought to prevent a straight party nomination and thus avoid a record. This counsel however, was rejected in the party caucus and a regular candidate was placed in the field, some of the younger men expressing the determination to have a ticket no matter how badly it was beaten. The election was quiet and the total vote fell off some eight hundred from last spring. This loss was principally sustained by the Democrats some of whom voted for the Republican candidate but a considerable portion of the party apparently took no part in the contest. Last spring Mayor Bragg received 1 619 votes and on Monday he had 1 069, a loss of 550. The Democratic vote for Mr Crocker fell off 680 and the Prohibition vote was two more than last spring. This gives Mayor Bragg a plurality of 83. The Board of Aldermen stand just as at present, five Republicans to two Democrats. The closest contest was in Ward Two where Mr Ireland the Republican nominee was elected but having only one vote to spare. We also gained one Councilman in this ward. Mr F. N. Fogg, who is the first Republican Councilman to represent Ward Two for a good many years. The Lower Board will thus stand thirteen Republicans to eight Democrats. Mayor Bragg who has received this handsome indorsement will enter upon his third term strongly intrenched in the confidence of the people. The Republicans of Bangor did a good day's work Monday and will send back to our sister cities the glad tidings of a sweeping victory to swell the grand chorus of Republican rejoicing heard all over the country.

Blinded by Its Prejudice

The Portland *Press* is in an excited frame of mind over the Capital question. It accuses us of being very severe at the expense of Representative Barker, who it says gave us a fair and just, but its prejudice did not permit it to appreciate the highly favorable impression created by Mr Barker's excellent speech on the question as will be seen from the following paragraphs:

[Lewiston Journal]

Perhaps no one Parker followed Mr Cobb in the discussion of the best site for the great debate in favor of the resolve. Mr Barker thrilled the House and took his manifest share of applause.

[Kennebec Journal]

The speech of Mr Barker of Bangor in the House last evening, on the Capital question was one of the best. It was a masterly analysis logical in argument concise and eloquent. It was admirably delivered and made a strong impression on the crowded assemblage.

Col Henry Watterson gives as a reason for ex President Cleveland's downfall that he had displayed a genius for needless infelicity.

The New York *Times* wants to know if the Republic is demoralized? No it is out of the fog, but it clearly approached that condition when the man designated by the Times as a low political trickster was placed at the head of it.

Gen Ben Butler says "I am not an applicant for any place under this administration, nor am I expecting the offer of any place. The Administration has my good wishes and it looks as though the Republican party had entered upon another long lease of power."

Mr Bayard was presented with a handsome match-box by the employes of the State Department before he resigned his portfolio. It is just about large enough to hold the remnant of his reputation as a diplomat and statesman says the Democratic New York *Herald*.

The Bath *Times* says: It is a little unfortunate for young Herbert M. Heath, that his vigorous onslaught upon the dog, in Maine politics follows so closely upon the defeat of his aspirations in the matter of the Presidency of the State Senate. A great reformer to be successful must be entirely free of any suspicion of sore-headedness.

A split in the grand army under the lead of General Palmer of Illinois was announced as the programme last fall, the new organization to be composed entirely of Democratic ex soldiers, thus making it political. But the plan did not materialize, and instead of the returns in the National headquarters show a net gain in membership of more than 11 000 in the three months ending with the year 1888.

Of President Harrison's address Patrick Ford writes in the *Irish World*: There is no uncertain ring about President Harrison's inaugural address. He says what he means, and he says it in a way that can be easily understood by all men. Without going into the details of the policy he will adopt President Harrison plainly intimates that his administration will be thoroughly American in its methods of dealing with the various questions that will have to be dealt with during the next four years. What he says of the tariff question is simply an echo of his speeches during the Presidential campaign. Those speeches were the honest expression of his views on the American policy of protection. When he made them he had nothing to conceal, and now that he has been raised by the suffrages of his fellow-citizens to the highest position that a citizen of the Republic can occupy he frankly avows the same principles that he championed when he was yet uncertain whether victory would alight on the banners of his party. His frankness stands out conspicuously in contrast with the double dealing that was practiced by his predecessor in office. The latter although a free trader at heart, when speaking of the tariff question, always so shaped his phraseology as to convey the impression to those not accustomed to weigh words that if he was not opposed to protection.

Now and then a Democratic organ has the courage to denounce the contemptible conspiracy in West Virginia to defraud the people of their rights. The Brooklyn *Eagle* says: If the Democrats of West Virginia, or of any other State, should consent to be cheated out of their rights by any such performance on the part of the Republicans as that now going on in West Virginia they would write themselves cravens deserving all the wrongs inflicted upon them. So will the West Virginia Republicans be excluded if they should submit to the wrongs sought to be inflicted on them.

The Washington correspondent of the Philadelphia *Press* writes: Postmaster General Wanamaker is already becoming very popular in his department, and members of Congress and others who have called on him declare that he is the most business-like man in the Cabinet. Representative Boutelle, of Maine, in speaking of this, said:

"A short conversation with Mr Wanamaker convinces the chiefs he is going to make a first class Postmaster General. He shows a disposition to make himself familiar with the organization of the department and the way he disposed of business while I was in his office convinced me that the President made no mistake in the appointment of Mr Wanamaker."

A Democratic Scheme of Blackmail.

SERIOUS CHARGES MADE AGAINST EX SECRETARY VILAS, GENERAL BLACK AND CLERK BROCK.

[Wash Cor of the Tribune]

Mention was made some months ago of the barter and sale of places in the Executive Departments here by Democratic Government officials, but a different and more ingenious, although possibly, more dangerous, method of providing for the faithful at the public crib has just come to light. Some time ago W. M. Miller, an old soldier, formerly of Company B, 1st District of Columbia Volunteers, serving as a messenger in the United States Pension Office at $900 per annum, was promoted to the $1000 grade and was informed by William S. Brock, the chief clerk, when the promotion was made that it was so made upon the direct provision and understanding by direction of General Black, Commissioner of Pensions, that one-half of the increase of salary should be paid over upon each and every pay day thereafter to Joseph H. Jackson Jr., a nephew of the Commissioner, a private messenger, also employed as messenger, for the purpose of increasing his salary from $900 to $1000 per annum.

The Jackson family, colored relatives of the District of Columbia, are pretty well provided for in the Pension Office, the mother-in-law being also employed there. John Maloney, a messenger in the middle division, United States Pension Office, whose father died from the effects of a gunshot wound in the head received in service in the Ohio Volunteers, was receiving a salary of $900 per annum, out of which he supported his mother and a young brother. Black reduced him to the $800 grade and promoted the son of Walter P. Schickers, the Democratic superintendent of the building, with a fat salary, to the vacancy. His unfortunate Maloney, however, was subsequently restored to the grade of $900 upon the urgent appeal of Representative Thomas Wilson, of Minnesota, but was informed by Chief Clerk Brock that he would have to pay over $100 of the increase up to each pay day to Charles Lanning, a Democrat, who received $800 per annum, who is father-in-law to Black, who had a brother employed in the Government Printing Office, and Maloney finally identified the person in Lanning ever since he received his promotion.

These various payments have been carefully witnessed each pay day by Republican employes and it is said that the victims of this Democratic blackmail have made the facts in the case known. Unfortunately for Chief Clerk W. S. Brock, Pension Commissioner W. C. Black and Secretary William F. Vilas, the latter two being appointees and residing before the fact the clerk of the Pension Office appear to have acted in a manner much more like a crooked politician than the chief of a bureau of the United States. Chapter 101 of Revised Statutes of the United States, Section 1101, provides as follows:

"And be it further enacted, that if any officer who is or may hereafter be charged with the payment of any of the appropriations made by this or any other act of Congress shall pay to any clerk or other employe of the Government such salary in the provided by law, and require such employe to receipt for or give a voucher for an amount greater than that actually paid to and received by him, such officer thus netting shall be deemed guilty of embezzlement, shall be fined in a sum double the amount so withheld from any employe of the Government, and shall be imprisoned for the term of two years and may be prosecuted and punished in any court of the United States having jurisdiction for the trial of such offenders in the district where such offence shall be committed. Approved March 3 1883."

It will be observed that this unusually stringent statute does not prescribe fine or imprisonment, but fine and imprisonment, and the fact that the whole money due for salary, (undivided) was actually handed to the messengers named by the pay clerk in no way lessens the criminality of the principals in this penitentiary offence. They have clearly and repeatedly violated the law and may be tried and sentenced therefor, even although they may have resigned and their success may have been appointed and confirmed, as the statute of limitation cannot be urged in bar by the defendants for a couple of years to come.

The case of Messenger Maloney is rendered doubly seriously by the fact that he continued to make bi-monthly payments to Charles Lanning for some time after the latter was discharged or had resigned from the service. Representative Thomas Wilson of Minnesota, who had interested himself for Maloney's promotion, was very much incensed when he heard about the division of salary, and promptly called upon Black, with whom he had an exceedingly lively interview. Subsequently, on Thursday February 21, that official sent for Maloney and gave him a regular blowing up. Maloney averred that he had made no complaint to Representative Wilson about the division of his salary, but Commissioner Black replied that his retention in office was nothing more nor less than an act of mercy, he was a Republican, and this Chief of Division had recommended his dismissal upon the ground of his physical incapacity to perform his duties, that he had freely consented at the time of his promotion—October 20, 1888—to the arrangement for the division of the increase of salary with Charles Lanning, and he had no right to complain now, if he did not like it he could resign." Black ended by ordering Maloney to write him a letter at once, explanatory of the supposed insubordination of his station, with the threat that if he made Maloney on the same day wrote and sent to Black a letter upon the subject at issue, which is of abiding interest, as it proves beyond a doubt that the Commissioner of Pensions, Black, was privy to the whole nefarious and criminal scheme, and also that, as Mr Maloney states, he admitted his participation in it in the course of his interview referred to.

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In this city March 11th, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs Patrick Burke, No 9 Union St, Mrs Honora W. Dorohue, aged 70 years.

In this city March 11th, at his residence on Fair street, Bartholomew Cavanaugh, aged 72 years.

Funeral from St. Mary's Church, Wednesday at 9 A.M.

Marine Journal.

DOMESTIC PORTS

NEW YORK—Cld 8th ship Occidental, Taylor, Shanghai.

DARIEN, Ga—Cld 8th sch Waldoboro, Parker, Sierra Leone.

FALL RIVER—Ar 7th sch John Douglas, Jordan, New York.

BARNSTABLE, Mass—Sld 8th brig Geo R. Dale, Weldon, Halifax.

NEWPORT, RI—Ar 8th, sch Abbie F. Willard, Jones, New York.

PHILADELPHIA—Cld 8th ship Chesebrough, Erickson, Hogg.

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SAN FRANCISCO—Sld 9th, ship Carondelet, Pugett Sound.

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FOREIGN PORTS.

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

New York Produce Market.

NEW YORK, March 11. Flour—Sales 16,900—Low extras 3 [illegible]; City Mill [illegible]; City Mill patents, [illegible]; Winter wheat, low grades, [illegible]; fair to fancy, [illegible]; patents, [illegible]; Minnesota clear [illegible]; do straights, [illegible]; do patents, [illegible]; Rye flour steady [illegible]; superfine, [illegible]. Corn meal—Common to fair extra, [illegible]; good to choice, [illegible].

Rye flour lower—sales 550—superfine, [illegible]. Buckwheat flour dull—State, [illegible]. Wheat—receipts, 260; exports, [illegible]; No 1 Chicago, [illegible]; No 2 Red, [illegible]; No 3 Red, [illegible]; No 2 Red, [illegible]; No 1 Red, 104 a [illegible]; No 1 white, 97[illegible]. Corn—sales 61,000—No 2, [illegible] mixed [illegible]; No. 1, [illegible]; steamer mixed [illegible]; steamer, [illegible]; No 2 white [illegible]; white bins, [illegible]. Oats—sales 61,000—No 2, [illegible]; No 2 white, [illegible]; No 1, [illegible]; No. 1 white, [illegible]; mixed western, [illegible]; white do, [illegible]; white bins, [illegible].

Barley—sales [illegible]. Barley malt—[illegible]. Rye—[illegible]. Provisions—Pork dull, mess, [illegible]. Beef steady, [illegible]. Cut meats [illegible]. Lard dull—Western steam [illegible], refined [illegible]. Butter firm—Western Creamery, 16 a 22; State, 13 a 20; Creamery, 19a28. Cheese quiet—State, 10a12½; Western, [illegible].

Chicago Produce Market.

CHICAGO, March 11. Wheat steady. WHEAT—No 2 Spring, [illegible]; No 2 Red, [illegible]. CORN—No 2, [illegible]. OATS—No 2, [illegible]. RYE—No 2, [illegible]. BARLEY nominal—No 2, [illegible]. LARD—[illegible]. PORK steady—Mess, 11 05a11 00.

Monetary Quotations.

New York, March 11. Money ranging on call from 2½a3 per cent, closing at 2a3. Prime mercantile paper 4½a6½. Sterling Exchange—[illegible] days and [illegible] for demand. Government bonds dull and firm. Railroad bonds quiet and generally firm.

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Adams Express	150	Iron Mtn Stk	37
American Express	112	Pullman Palace	197
Central Pacific	34½	Reading	44½
Ches & Ohio	10½	Rock Island	99¾
Chicago Alton	154¾	St Louis & San Fran	24¾
" preferred	160	" preferred	61¾
Chic Bur & Quincy	101½	1st preferred	70
Del Hudson	131¾	St. Paul	62¾
Del Lack	600	" Preferred	129
Den & Rio Grande	15½	St L and Mt on & Alton	90
Erie	28¾	St. Paul & Omaha	32½
" preferred	68	" Preferred	97
Ill Central	109	Texas Pacific	20
Ind B com & West	11½	Union Pacific	64¾
Lake Erie & West	17½	U S Express	81½
Lake Shore	109½	Wabash W G & Can	15
Louisville & Nash	62	Fred Co 1st	98¾
Manhattan El	99¾	Western Union	85½
Mich Cent	89½	BONDS	
Minn & St L	15½	4s reg	128½
" Preferred	13	4s Coup	129½
Mo Pacific	71½	4½s reg	107¾
N J Cent	91½	4½s coup	107¾
Northern Pacific	26	Cent Pac 1st	113¾
" Preferred	61	Den & Rio G 1st	120½
Northwestern	130¾	Erie Second	109½
" Preferred	137¾	Kan Pac Consols	114½
N Y Cent	96¾	Oregon Nav 1st	110¾
N Y Chic & St L	18	Union Firsts	113
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with visits to all the leading cities, resorts, and places of picturesque interest, and a return through Utah and over the Denver & Rio Grande Railway—the Great Scenic Route.

On the same date—Thursday May 2—a party will leave Boston for a Tour of 29 Days over the same routes through

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PACIFIC NORTHWEST,

And homeward over the entire length of the Northern Pacific Railroad, with a week in the Yellowstone National Park.

Both these parties will travel in Special Trains of Magnificent Vestibuled Pullman Palace Cars, with Pullman Palace Dining Cars included. Incidental Trips to the Yosemite Valley and Big Tree Groves.

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IN ALL THE LATEST STYLES,

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Twenty Thousand Dollars Worth of Men's and Boys' Clothing have been Marked Down to

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To close it out and make room for Spring purchases.

Our Entire Winter Stock to be Sold Regardless of Former Prices.

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A Complete Success!

Although we had a large amount, we could not supply the demand, and have ordered for Saturday, March 9.

Send in your orders at once.

J. C. NORTON & CO.,

BAKING AGENTS.

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CHICKENS

—AT—

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NOTICE

BANGOR, Me, March 8th, 1889.

The firm of W. A. Nelson & Co, in this city dissolved by mutual consent.

WM. A. NELSON,
SAMUEL E. STORR.

The business of the above firm will be conducted by W. A. Nelson, under the same firm name at 19½ West Market Square.

W. A. NELSON.

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AND FEMALE COLLEGE,

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MASCOTTE entire and 1st Act of PRINCESS OF TREBIZOND.

POPULAR PRICES—15, 25, 35 and 50 cents.

Sale of seats opens Friday morning 8th inst.

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SONS OF VETERANS.

—A GRAND—

Masked and Poverty Ball

will be given by Lincoln Sons of Veterans at

City Hall, Friday Evening, March 15.

Tickets may be procured of C. F. Hutchings, Chas. C. Hersey, C. F. Hussey, F. H. Hartshorn, F. M. Hasbrook and J. F. Mitchell.

Reserved Seats 15c. All skeleton tickets will also be on sale at the door. Floor tickets 40c. Reserved Seats 15c. Admission 10c.

The hall will be decorated in an appropriate manner and the committee will do all in their power to make them enjoyable times.

There will be no floor tickets sold at the door.

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UNITARIAN MEMORIAL PARLORS.

Wednesday, March 13, 1889

READING

—BY—

Miss Anna May Frame,

DRAMATIC READER,

OF EAST BOSTON,

Assisted by the following talent:

Mrs Helen Winslow Potter,
Mrs. G. C. Crosby,
Miss Annie Sweet,
Miss Abbie Carland,
Mr S. H. Boardman.

Tickets 35 cents and 1 To be obtained at the door and 1 Concert.

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OLD FOLKS CONCERT!

NOROMBEGA HALL,

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CECILIA CLUB

Full Chorus of 100 Ladies and Gentlemen in

OLD TIME COSTUME

Supper From 5 30 to 8 P. M.

Antique Hall Great March at 6 o'clock.

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And including many old fashioned

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Change of programme nightly.

Friday, the one-hundred and fifth and following days of dancing.

Admission for the day, 15 cents. Children under 10 years, 10 cents.

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A Great Remedy.

NORTH GRAFTON, Essex Co., Dec 7 1888.

United States Compound Oxygen Co., Spring Street, Worcester, Mass.

In response to your inquiry as to my opinion of the Compound Oxygen Treatment as administered by the Company which you represent, I would say that after a trial of about six months I am of the opinion that it is a valuable remedy. I am, very truly yours, [illegible]

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21 Main Street,

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Carpeting Cheap!

We have a consignment of small new Brussels and Velvet Carpets that we are selling very low.

—ALSO—

A LARGE CONSIGNMENT OF ROOM PAPERS, which must be sold at once. Now is the time to get your carpets and paper for small cash.

Please give us a call.

WINCHESTER & YORK, - 2 HARLOW ST.

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Dissolution of Co-partnership.

The firm of Arnold & Sawyer is dissolved this day by mutual consent. J. M. Arnold is authorized to collect all debts due the firm and to settle all liabilities and sign liquidation.

J. M. ARNOLD,
A. C. SAWYER.

The business of the above firm will hereafter be conducted by the J. M. Arnold Shoe Co. at the old stand, Kenduskeag Bridge. Thanking their patrons for the business given them in the past, they hope to continue to merit the patronage in the future.

J. M. ARNOLD.

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Spring Season 1889.

G. W. STEVENS,

JANUARY 1, - - 1889.

I have prepared for the coming season the most complete Assortment of

HAMBURGS

ever offered by me.

Nainsook Allovers,

FLOUNCINGS.

G. W. STEVENS.

Whig and Courier.

TUESDAY, MARCH 12, 1889.

BY TELEGRAPH

MAINE NEWS.

FROM THE STATE CAPITOL.

Little Business the Result of Monday's Session.

The Centennial Committee Appropriation Voted Down.

The Senate Passes the Registration Bill.

[Special to Whig and Courier]

AUGUSTA, March 11. [illegible] Monday's session was [illegible] Little business was done in the House. The Committee on Judiciary reported a bill to provide for the registration of voters in towns and cities, which was made the special order for next Wednesday. This bill provides for a registration on the day of the election, instead of the day before, as now provided by law. The bill also provides that the registration shall be made by the assessors instead of by the selectmen

LOCKED IN HIS VAULT.

Bold Bank Robbery by a Post-Office Clerk.

The Thief Arrested While Making His Escape.

WATERTOWN, N. Y. March 21. One of the boldest bank robberies that has occurred in this section for years surprised the people of Norwood, Saturday. F. L. Smith, cashier of the Norwood Bank, was alone in the building about noon when Charles Phelps, the post-office clerk, entered and asked for some stamps. Mr. Smith stepped into the vault to get them when Phelps quickly closed the door and turned the combination, locking the cashier in. The robber then turned to the drawer and took all the paper money it contained, $275, leaving several hundred dollars in silver.

The amount would ordinarily have been much larger on Saturday but business had been light that day and the robber's booty was not over so large as he had expected. Phelps had a horse ready and started at once for the Canadian border, about 15 miles distant. Meanwhile a customer entered the bank and upon being instructed as to the combination by the cashier from within the vault released him.

Phelps was arrested before he reached the border. Only $1 of the amount stolen was found on his person.

OUTRAGE BY WHITE CAPS.

Beaten, Bruised and Chained and His House and Property Destroyed.

CHICAGO, March 11. A despatch from Oelind, Dakota, says: Antoine Belanger came to Raymond yesterday morning much bruised and with a chain fastened about his neck with a padlock. He said at his house, about twenty miles north of Oelind, Saturday night, he was aroused from bed by a noise at the barn. On going to the barn door five men, masked with white caps, rushed upon him with drawn revolvers and guns and put the chain on his neck and also a rope and raised him twice to a joist of the barn, threatening to kill him if he did not confess that he burned his neighbor's building last fall. He then to save his life confessed.

They then bound his hands behind him, blindfolded and took him to the house, broke his furniture and poured kerosene over everything. They then took his money and loaded him and his trunk into his wagon. Behind his team two men on horseback with drawn revolvers followed him eastward nine miles into the hills, promising him death upon his return, while the others reduced his house to ashes. He says he knows them all and officers are now after the men he has named. He disclaims any knowledge of how his neighbor's fire originated.

FROM WASHINGTON.

News About the Capitol.

The Case of Louis Riel.

WASHINGTON, March 11. In the executive session of the Senate, to-day, a message from the President transmitting the correspondence in response to a Senate resolution in regard to the execution of Louis Riel by the Canadian authorities and whether he was held to be an American citizen, was laid before the Senate.

The White House Closed to Visitors.

The White House was closed to callers this morning with the exception of those having appointments with the President and Congressmen about to leave the city.

Too Previous with his Revolver.

A difficulty which came near being serious in its consequences took place today between S. B. Cunningham, disbursing clerk of the House of Representatives, and Turner Hackman, a page in the employ of the House, over some extra pay. This morning Hackman went to inquire about the pay, and Cunningham is said to have made some insulting remark. Hackman then upbraided Cunningham, and the latter drawing a revolver fired at Hackman. The ball missed its mark and no damage was done. Cunningham was arrested on a warrant sworn out by Hackman.

Nominations by the President.

The President sent the following nominations to the Senate to-day:

Thomas W. Palmer, of Michigan, to be Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary of the United States to Spain.

John F. Swift, of California, to be Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary of the United States to Japan.

John D. Washburn, of Massachusetts, Minister resident and Consul General of the United States to Switzerland.

Geo. Tichenor, of Illinois, to be Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, vice Isaac I. Maynard, resigned.

In executive session the nominations were ordered referred to the appropriate committees when formed.

Some surprise was expressed at the failure to confirm ex-Senator Palmer's nomination at once. The rule of immediate confirmations, save of the Cabinet, is conceded to Senators and it was deemed best not to depart from the rule and so his nomination went with the rest.

The nomination of Mr. Tichenor as Assistant Secretary of the Treasury was not asked by the Illinois delegation. They rather object to his being charged up as a part of that State's quota of offices.

Secretary Windom told one of the Congressmen from that State that Mr. Tichenor's appointment was his own and should not be charged to any one in particular. Mr. Tichenor's fitness for the position is conceded by all.

Ex-Senator Palmer, interviewed over the telephone, said, his nomination was sent in without his knowledge. He was uncertain whether he would accept.

Senate Committee Chairmanships.

It is reported that the Chairmanships vacated at the last session have been filled as follows:

Agriculture—A. S. Paddock.
Engrossed Bills—Wilkinson Call.
Enrolled Bills—Charles B. Farwell.
Manufactures—James S. McMillan.
Railroads—John H. Mitchell.

Senator Washburn takes Senator Palmer's place on the Committee on Commerce.

For the first time in many years Michigan has no representative on the committee.

Congressmen Sick in Washington.

As the result from exposure on inauguration day over fifteen Congressmen are more or less ill and confined to their rooms. Ex-Representative Symes, of Colorado, is dangerously ill with a complication of diseases. Representative Lee, of Virginia, is reported improved, but still quite sick with pneumonia. Representative Buchanan, of New Jersey, who has pneumonia, is better to-day. Representative Laird, of Nebraska, is still very ill. Representative Cutcheon, of Michigan, is much better. Ex-Representative Yoder is able to be out.

The Additions to the Navy.

Unless unforeseen obstacles are encountered within a few months, after the beginning of the next fiscal year, July 1st, contracts will have been let for the construction of new war vessels which will, in the aggregate, increase the tonnage of the navy by nearly 150,000 tons.

The New Minister to Switzerland.

John D. Washburn, nominated by the President as Minister to Switzerland, is a resident of Worcester, Mass. He is a man of wealth and at present is not engaged in business.

Resignation Accepted.

The President has accepted the resignation of Judge Durham as First Comptroller of the Treasury to take effect upon the qualification of his successor.

FIRE [illegible]

A Boston and Albany [illegible]

WORCESTER, [illegible] Spencer says the freight house [illegible] and it is believed [illegible]

THE HAYTIAN REBELLION.

A Frightful Story of Distress and Suffering.

A Terrible Tale of Bloody Butchery

NEW YORK, March 11. The World contains the following: Steamer Coban arrived at this port yesterday, commanded by Capt. Fraser, who says that Port de Paix, Hayti, is in a horrible condition, the people scarcely decently clad and the soldiers nearly naked. He regards a famine as probable. Pork is selling at $35 a barrel and flour at $18, while Irish potatoes are not to be had. The bread sold to the poorer classes is almost unfit for eating. People are becoming more and more shiftless, and the death rate is increasing at an alarmingly rapid rate.

Capt. Fraser produced a copy of La Patrie, the Hippolite organ, of February 23d, at Gonaives, containing an account of the battle at Grand Saline. Hippolite's forces were commanded by Generals Morne Point and Jean Mesereau. Legitimite's army began the attack on the outposts early in February, were repulsed several times and finally succeeded in carrying them, and a few days later were masters of the city and of Gen. Mesereau's sword. Legitimite's men were so

Elated Over Their Successes

that they immediately commenced to pillage the town. One drunken soldier shot one of the prisoners for some trifling matter. This was the signal for a general outbreak on the part of the soldiers. They rushed at the prisoners, shooting and stabbing them right and left. The prisoners begged for mercy, but their cries were laughed at, and quarter was allowed to none. Gen. Mesereau tried to stay the butchery, but was

Warned Not to Interfere

if he wished to live. The butchers robbed the dead, rifling their pockets and stripping them of such trinkets as they wore, and then proceeded to loot the town, breaking into houses, smashing mirrors and furniture, abusing women and behaving generally like demons, winding up by firing the town. Nearly the whole place is in ruins.

THE SAMOA TROUBLES.

No Further News Received at Washington.

What is Said at the State Department.

WASHINGTON, March 11. At the State and Navy Departments this morning the same reply, now becoming somewhat monotonous, "We have no information," is made in answer to requests for some news regarding the alleged destruction of the Nipsic at Samoa. Mr. Walker Blaine says that the Department of State utterly discredits the story and is free from apprehension upon the subject.

It now appears that the United States naval officer who was stationed at Auckland, the nearest cable point to Samoa, rejoined the Nipsic some time ago. Nevertheless the Navy Department holds that it would be speedily informed of the reported engagement through the United States consul at Auckland had any such thing happened.

To Forward News

to Berlin, the Olga must have run over to Auckland and at least her arrival there would have been reported. If, indeed, the secret of her mission to the cable station did not leak out through some of the sailors.

Captain Mullan, of the Nipsic, was ordered to protect and use his good offices. These were in substance like the instructions given Admiral Kimberly, which, at the time they were issued, were regarded in some quarters as being too narrow and too inadequate to carry out the popular wish.

It may be recalled, however, that Secretary Whitney said at the time in a communication, ultimately laid before the House Naval Committee, that it was as far as he could go in the absence of any definitely declared policy on the part of this government in regard to the Samoan question.

A PRIZE FIGHT STOPPED.

The Principals and Sixty-five Spectators Arrested.

NEW YORK, March 11. Forty policemen raided the Rosedale Athletic Club Rooms, 59 Monroe street, to-night, and arrested John John McGrath and Cornelius Keefe, engaged in a prize fight, and 65 of the 300 spectators.

FOREIGN NEWS.

Appointment Approved by the Queen.

LONDON, March 11. The Queen has approved the appointment of Sir Julian Pauncefote as British Minister to the United States.

THE WEATHER.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER,
WASHINGTON, March, 12, 1 A. M.

Indications:

For New England: Fair weather; warmer; winds becoming southwesterly.

Business Items

LIBERAL CONCESSIONS.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Union Mutual Life Insurance Company held on the 20th of February, 1889, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

"That all policies heretofore issued by this company, upon which three full years' premiums have been paid, shall not be contestable on the ground of self-destruction, any provision in the policy to the contrary notwithstanding, provided the premium next hereafter accruing shall be paid when due."

"That any policy issued before the first day of April A. D. 1877, which, by its terms, is wholly forfeited for non-payment of premium when due, shall, upon payment of the premium next hereafter becoming due, be entitled to the benefit of the Maine Non-Forfeiture Law, precisely as if the policy so provided."

From the foregoing it will be seen that concessions of a very liberal character have been made to that large section of the Company's policy holders, whose policies—issued in the majority of cases many years ago—do not contain those liberal and equitable provisions which are to be found in policies now issued.

It would appear that in the matter of liberality of insurance contracts, the utmost limit has been reached, and it is as gratifying to the management of the Union Mutual to be in a position to accord their old patrons these features without extra charge, as it will be to the policy holders to receive such distinct advantages.

That the Maine Law benefit is no chimera is to be seen by the fact that the Union Mutual Life Insurance Company has paid more than a quarter of a million dollars upon policies that have lapsed, and which in the absence of [illegible] Forfeiture Law would have been [illegible] [illegible]

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LOCAL MATTERS.

Sunday the ice in the river started from above Old Town and came down this side of Veazie.

Easter cards have made their appearance in the stores. They are as usual beautiful and appropriate to the season of the year.

The seventeenth of March, St. Patrick's Day, will be observed this year quite generally. The stores will be closed and services will be held in all the churches.

The work of putting in the one hundred large new boxes at the post office was begun yesterday morning. They were a necessity and will be an improvement.

Preparations are being made in the country for tapping the maple trees and the sap will soon begin to flow. The new syrup is always welcome to the palate.

The Misses Baldwin gave a reception for their friends at their residence on Cedar street last evening. The occasion was one of much enjoyment to all in attendance.

The Wilbur Opera Company arrived in the city yesterday from Boston. The members are stopping at the Bangor House, Penobscot Exchange and the Lowder.

The public schools will close to-day for a ten days' vacation. The winter term was a very successful one, and it is expected that the summer term will not be behind in that respect.

There will be a meeting of the Society of Associated Charities this afternoon at three o'clock in the Common Council Room. A full attendance is desired of all interested in our charities.

Miss Jessie Couthoui reads in Portland, Saccarappa, Lewiston, Wilton, Farmington, Phillips and Winthrop before her appearance in this city on the 21st instant, at City Hall, when a good concert is expected.

In our advertising columns of yesterday a mistake was made in the price of tickets to the entertainment in the Unitarian Memorial Parlors to-morrow evening. The correct price is 35 cents and not 55 as stated.

The advertisement in THE WHIG of Mr. Barney Kelley met with a ready response and Mr. Kelley will leave this evening for New Hampshire with twenty-five men for the New Hampshire Land Company, of Sawyer River, N. H.

Game Warden Harriman last evening seized two barrels of lobsters at the Maine Central depot, en route from Bar Harbor Ferry to Portland, for containing short lobsters. There were sixty-three short lobsters, some of them lacking two inches of the required length.

"Romeo" Sullivan and Heber Lane have been matched for a fifty miles race to take place in Norombega Hall on the 10th of this month. Lane is to have five miles start, and the race will be a go-as-you-please. The stake is $50 a side, and the winner will also take the entire gate receipts.

Mr. James Holt caught a very fine four and and a half pound trout in Reed's Pond yesterday morning. Since the fish and game laws have been strictly enforced by the State Commissioners game has increased in our woods and fish in our ponds thus showing the good results of the laws for their protection.

Many Christian Endeavor Societies throughout the country are planning to send large delegations to the National Convention at Philadelphia. Arrangements are being made for the lowest rates on the railroads. A very attractive programme is being prepared for the event, which will be one of much interest.

Master Albert Bean, a son of Mr. C. H. Bean, of East Bangor, was kicked by a horse Sunday, and quite severely bruised. He was passing the stall where his brother was attending to the horse when the animal suddenly raised his heels kicking him upon the chest and shoulder, which were considerably cut and bruised. No serious results are expected.

The result of the recent match drill between the Portland Light Infantry and the Nealey Rifles, which was won by the former, has stimulated the Montgomery Guards, of Portland, to try for the championship, and they have issued a challenge to the Infantry to drill them thirty days after signing the articles. Great interest is being taken throughout the State in these drills.

Mr. E. O. Warlock died at St. John Sunday morning after a short illness. He was the organizer of the National base ball team and was its first captain. He was well known to the ball players in this State, and was a very popular young man. At the time of his death he was assistant book keeper at the foundry of Harris & Co. He was a prominent member of the Cricket and Athletic Club.

Much interest is being taken in the masked poverty ball to be given by the members of Daniel Chaplin Camp, Sons of Veterans, in City Hall next Friday night, and already a large number of tickets has been sold. It is expected that there will be a large attendance. The hall will be appropriately decorated, and the dancers in their threadbare garments will present a striking appearance.

The members of Daniel Chaplin Camp, Sons of Veterans, are making arrangements for a camp fire at G. A. R. Hall some time next week. An army supper of baked beans, brown bread, etc., will be partaken of, and songs, speeches and story telling will follow. Only the members of the camp and B. H. Beale Post will be present. The occasion will doubtless prove a very pleasant one to all present.

The second sociable of the series given by St. John's Commandery K. T. took place last evening in Masonic Hall and was largely attended. After a few selections by the orchestra dancing was indulged in in the large hall by the young folks, while the older members and their ladies enjoyed cards in the small hall. Supper was served in the large banquet hall at ten o'clock, after which dancing and cards were again indulged in until a late hour. These sociables are liberally patronized by the Sir Knights and the two that are to follow are sure of a still larger attendance and to be as enjoyable as the two past have been.

NEW STEEL FISHING ROD. The latest thing in fishing rods which has just come out is the steel hollow rod, which weighs about eight ounces. It is jointed and has rings for the line similar to the bamboo rod. The rod is very light and exceedingly durable, as it is almost impossible to break it [illegible] [illegible]

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The women of St. John's Episcopal church are actively engaged in making the preliminary arrangements for the Oriental Parlor to be held in Norombega Hall and meetings are frequently held for that purpose. A visit to the hall upon that occasion will be a journey to Turkey and Persia whose dwellings and people will be correctly represented.

PORTLAND MOVING. The action of the people of Bangor in the matter of providing a suitable building for the use of the Young Men's Christian Association, by which upwards of $25,000 has already been subscribed, of which the sum of $15,000 is ready for use, is having its effect upon other cities of the State, and the good example thus set should be followed up until the full amount of $40,000 needed for the enterprise is secured. The Portland *Press*, in urging the needs of such a building in Portland, says: We certainly feel that if other cities in Maine, such as Rockland and Bangor, can own their own Y. M. C. A. building Portland surely cannot afford to be so far behind in supplying a long felt want in the community—a place where all young men may go and find a home, where they will be surrounded by good, wholesome influences.

GERMAN OPERA. Quite a number of our people will attend the German opera which begins at the Boston Theatre April 1st. The season will be one of much interest as a fine set of grand opera is to be presented by the large and strong company, which contains many eminent artists. It is probable that an excursion will be arranged to Boston from this city. The entire Metropolitan Opera House Company, under the direction of Edmund C. Stanton, with Anton Siedl, conductor, will give the following repertoire on the first week: Monday, "Rheingold;" Tuesday, "Walkure;" Wednesday, "Siegfried;" Friday, "Goetterdammerung;" Saturday matinee, "Rheingold;" Saturday evening (only time) "Tannhauser." The prices will range from 50 cents to $3, and sale of seats will begin March 27 for the week, and on March 28 for single nights. "The Mastersingers" will be produced during the second week of the season.

ENJOYABLE SOCIABLE. Rising Sun Council, No. 31, United Friends, had a very enjoyable sociable at their hall last evening, and the affair was largely attended. During the first part of the evening the following entertaining programme was listened to: Piano solo, Miss Emilie Harriman; selection, Excelsior Quartette; recitation, Mr. Thomas Mea; solo, Mr. McKusick; duet, Miss Edith Bowen, Mr. Frank Heiskell; recitation, Miss Edith Bowen; duet, piano and bones, Miss Harriman and Master Bertie Harriman; solo, Mr. Frank Heiskell; recitation, Mr. Thomas Mea; solo, Mr. Kelliher; duet, harmonica and banjo, Messrs. Heiskell and Casey; selection, Excelsior Quartette. All of these selections were greatly enjoyed and several encores were given. An oyster supper was served after the entertainment. The remainder of the evening was passed in games and dancing. The Council is in a very flourishing condition and new members frequently join.

THE ANTIQUARIAN CONCERT. The Cecilia Club rehearsal for the antiquarian concert last evening at City Hall was largely attended and was very profitable and full of interest. Many of the old members of the Penobscot Musical Association were present. Good work was done on the different selections. At intermission Miss Mary Morgan rendered "For You" very sweetly, Miss Stewart playing her accompaniment. Preparations for the antiquarian supper and concert on Thursday and Friday evenings are progressing well and a successful affair is looked for. All those interested in the Cecilia Club or in music are requested to send salads, cold meats, cake, etc., to Norombega Hall for both evenings. There will be an antiquarian grand march and a minuet each evening and other features will be a kazoo band and an "esselpnoysaog." On Friday evening there will be a concert by Andrews' Orchestra, with other entertainment and dancing, for which the orchestra will furnish music.

TO BE JOINED. There is talk among the members of the Bangor Rifle Association and the Norombega Sportsmen Club of merging the two organizations into one, with the name of the latter. This will be done for the reason that the latter club has a charter being a regularly organized club, which can rightfully carry on any kind of lawful sports. If this is done, and it is very probable that it will be, it will make one large club, made up of many of our best shots and most enthusiastic sportsmen. It will be an advantage in every way to have this done, and the members of both clubs are talking strongly of uniting their forces at once. The members of the Bangor Rifle Club are practicing every day at the Maplewood range and are consequently improving considerably in their marksmanship. It is probable that a match shoot will be arranged with the Bar Harbor Club to come off at a near date, and a good exhibition of marksmanship would undoubtedly be witnessed.

ALGONQUIN HOTEL COMPANY. The St. John *Telegraph* says: A meeting of the stockholders of the Algonquin Hotel Company was held Saturday at Mr. F. H. Grimmer's office, St. Andrews, to organize the company. Of the stockholders there were present in person fourteen and a sufficient number, represented by proxy, to constitute a majority of the subscribed stock. A code of by-laws was introduced and the following board of directors appointed: W. A. Murchie, President; F. Howard Grimmer, Vice President; Alfred Seely, Secretary-Treasurer; Eugene F. Fay, Robert F. Gardiner, F. W. Cram and Dana B. Flanders. In addition to the local stockholders there were in attendance at the meeting Robert S. Gardiner, Eugene F. Fay, Dana B. Flanders, of Boston; George H. Connor, General Passenger Agent of the Old Colony R. R. and Fall River Line; R. T. Clinch, of St. John; F. W. Cram, of the New Brunswick railway; George H. Gilman, editor of the Aroostook *Pioneer*; Allan J. Flanders, of the New York and New England Railway; Frank E. Brown, of the Concord R. R.; S. W. Cummings, General Passenger Agent of the Central Vermont R. R.; L. D. Robbins, representing the *Boston Herald*, and Mr. Mason, of the *Boston Globe*, also accompanied the gentlemen who came to attend the meeting. The party came by special train and all drove to the Algonquin Hotel immediately upon the arrival of the train [illegible] The members of the company [illegible] pleased with the [illegible] been made by the [illegible] of an early opening of the hotel and a driving business during the entire season.

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BANGOR SOLID.

SWEEPING REPUBLICAN VICTORY.

Mayor Bragg Re-elected by a Plurality of 831.

The Republicans Elect Five Aldermen and Thirteen Councilmen.

A GOOD DAY'S WORK.

The vote in the city was very light yesterday, amounting to 2,398 in the total vote, of which Mayor Bragg received 1,560, Julius H. Crocker, Democrat, 720 and Russel S. Morison, Third Party Prohibition, 84, giving Mayor Bragg the handsome plurality of 831.

Last year Mayor Bragg's plurality was 219 in a total of 3,101. In 1887 his plurality was 442 in a total vote of 3,038.

The Board of Aldermen stands the same as last year, the Democrats carrying Wards One and Seven and the Republicans Wards Two, Three, Four, Five and Six. In Ward Two the vote was very close, C. R. Ireland, Esq., beating A. L. Simpson, Esq., the Democratic candidate, by six plurality, with a majority of one. As this is a Democratic ward, and was only carried against them last year in a contested election by the popularity of F. O. Beal, Esq., the result of yesterday's election is a great compliment to Mr. Ireland. The Common Council stands, Republicans 13, Democrats 8, a gain of one Republican over last year, Mr. E. N. Egery, in Ward Two. This is also a high compliment to Mr. Egery, as it is the first time for many years that the Republicans have elected a member of the Common Council in this ward.

Following is the vote in detail:

VOTE FOR MAYOR.

	Bragg.	Crocker.	Morison.	Total.
Ward 1,	107	103	2	302
Ward 2,	182	186	7	375
Ward 3,	316	67	15	397
Ward 4,	254	17	26	297
Ward 5,	269	29	17	315
Ward 6,	204	35	12	251
Ward 7,	233	203	5	446
Total,	1,560	720	84	2,383
Bragg's plurality,				831
Bragg's majority,				747

THE WARD ELECTIONS.

WARD ONE.

Republican Nominees.

Alderman—Charles Dennett, 53
Councilmen—Archibald L. Boyd, 52
Marshall Dyer, 52
John M. Oak, 52
Warden—B. Kelley, 50
Ward Clerk—Robert A. Webster, 50

Democratic Nominees.

Alderman—Joseph W. Taney, 201
Councilmen—Daniel M. Daly, 245
Thomas E. O'Donohue, 245
John C. Driscoll, 245
Warden—Thomas E. Murry, 215
Ward Clerk—Michael O'Connell, 213

Third Party Nominees.

Alderman—John S. Kimball, 2
Councilmen—Volney B. Cushing, 2
Samuel S. Kimball, 2
Newton L. Winslow, 2

Elected—Alderman, Joseph W. Taney; Councilmen, Daniel M. Daly, Thomas E. O'Donohue, John C. Driscoll; Warden, Thomas E. Murry; Ward Clerk, Michael O'Connell.

WARD TWO.

Republican Nominees.

Alderman—Charles R. Ireland, 192
Councilmen—Edwin N. Egery, 196
Amos R. Hardy, 176
George W. Whiting, 179
Warden—Roderick D. McKinnon, 182
Ward Clerk—John J. Flynn, 181

Democratic Nominees.

Alderman—Aaron L. Simpson, 186
Councilmen—Michael J. Culli an, 190
Michael H. Daley, 204
Clarence L. Cummings, 176
M. J. Cullinan, 10
Warden—William Mulvaney, 197
Ward Clerk—Frank P. Ewer, 198

Third Party Nominees.

Alderman—Job M. Jewett, 5
Councilmen—Robert Beury, 5
James T. Manson, 5
Vincent Willard, 5

Elected—Alderman, Charles R. Ireland; Councilmen, Michael H. Daley, Michael J. Cullinan, Edwin N. Egery; Warden, Wm. Mulvaney; Ward Clerk, Frank P. Ewer.

WARD THREE.

Republican Nominees.

Alderman—Charles S. Pearl, 280
Councilmen—James M. Swett, 305
Selden N. Dean, 305
Otis P. Frost, 304
Warden—Augustus L. Bourne, 305
Ward Clerk—John F. Foster, 304

Democratic Nominees.

Alderman—Charles E. Bliss, 101
Councilmen—Ansel Leonard, 78
George W. Brown, 78
Hugh McManus, 78
Warden—Timothy J. Burley, 78
Ward Clerk—Daniel J. Cronin, 78

Third Party Nominees.

Alderman—George H. Fox, 14
Councilmen—Edwin Kenney, 13
Henry N. Smith, 13
Jotham A. C. Mason, 12
Scattering, 1

Elected—Alderman, Charles E. Pearl; Councilmen—James M. Swett, Selden N. Dean, Otis P. Frost; Warden—Augustus L. Bourne; Ward Clerk—John F. Foster.

WARD FOUR.

Republican Nominees.

Alderman—Frank C. Noyes, 251
Councilmen—James H. Snow, 251
William P. Smiley, 251
Ira S. Prilay, 234
Scattering, 18
Warden—Albert G. Noyes, 251
Scattering, 2
Ward Clerk—Thomas T. Tabor, 259

Democratic Nominees.

Alderman—Thomas U. Coe, 18
Scattering, 1
Councilmen—John H. Eldridge, 18
Ambrose Fogg, 18
[illegible] Smith, 18
Warden—Shepard B. Goodwin, 17
Ward Clerk—Gideon Ray, 18
Scattering, 8

Third Party Nominees.

Alderman—David Ames, 36
Councilmen—[illegible] Whidden, 36
Roscoe F. Morgan, 36
Robert T. Clark, 36

Elected—Alderman, Frank C. Noyes; Councilmen, James H. Snow, William P. Smiley, Ira S. Prilay; Warden, Albert G. Noyes; Ward Clerk, Thomas T. Tabor.

WARD FIVE.

Republican Nominees.

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Councilmen—Thomas White, 41
John Conners, 40
Moses M. Hastings, 40
Warden—Clement D. Wyer, 40
Ward Clerk—James D. Glynn, 40

Third Party Nominees.

Alderman—Elijah Low, 10
Councilmen—George T. Moody, 10
Albert P. Richardson, 10
William H. Pitcher, 10

Elected—Alderman, Edward Stetson; Councilmen, Joseph W. Porter, Charles York, Charles W. Wilson; Warden, Wilfred E. Mansur; Ward Clerk, Herbert A. Arnold.

WARD SIX.

Republican Nominees.

Alderman—Daniel W. Maxfield, 195
Councilmen—William S. Higgins, 201
Charles B. Morse, 198
Charles I. Collamore, 200
Warden—Charles F. Thoms, 201
Ward Clerk—Calvin C. Jones, 201

Democratic Nominees.

Alderman—Walter S. Allen, 41
Councilmen—George M. McMunn, 40
George F. Connell, 43
Michael J. Finnegan, 30
Warden—Francis Moriarty, 30
Ward Clerk—Cornelius Donovan, 30

Third Party Nominees.

Alderman—George H. Stiles, 15
Councilmen—Robert B. Hassard, 11
Arthur Palmer, Jr., 11
George W. Hunt, 11

Elected—Alderman, Daniel W. Maxfield; Councilmen, William S. Higgins, Charles B. Morse, Charles I. Collamore; Warden, Charles F. Thoms; Ward Clerk, Calvin C. Jones.

WARD SEVEN.

Republican Nominees.

Alderman—George M. Fletcher, 168
Councilmen—Rufus P. Peakes, 207
Charles E. Clark, 194
Jasper I. Fisher, 160
Warden—Charles W. Libbey, 207
Ward Clerk—Joseph H. Wharff, 205

Democratic Nominees.

Alderman—William Conners, 281
Councilmen—Dominick J. Kane, 264
Charles L. Batchelder, 272
William McDonald, 237
Warden—John F. O'Leary, 212
Ward Clerk—William F. Curran, 212

Third Party Nominees.

Alderman—Josiah W. Green, 1
Councilmen—Thomas Gillespie, 1
Jeremiah D. Hatfield, 1
John S. Ellis, 1

Elected—Alderman, William Conners; Councilmen—Dominick J. Kane, Charles L. Batchelder, William McDonald; Warden—John F. O'Leary; Ward Clerk—William F. Curran.

REV. DR. FIELD'S LECTURE.

The 88s of the Last Three Centuries.

A large audience assembled last evening at the Central church, to listen to a lecture by Rev. Dr. Field, delivered for the benefit of the "Willing Workers," connected with that society. The Rev. Doctor prefaced his remarks by saying that his motives in giving the lecture,—which was simply the historical parts of a sermon delivered by him a year ago—were not only to teach the young history and aid the cause of the society, but also "for the fun of the thing, to see his people pay twenty-five cents to hear an old sermon."

The object of the lecture was to recall the events, important not only to the countries where they took place, but to the world at large, that occurred in the years 88, in the 16th, 17th and 18th centuries.

In 1588, the famous attempt of Catholic Spain to subjugate Protestant England by means of the so-called "Invincible Armada" took place.

The speaker drew a vivid picture of the wealth and power of the land of Philip II. at that time; the fierce bigotry of the King, that found an echo in the hearts of his people, the determination to humble England, and crush out forever in her the great hope of Protestant Europe. On the other side was the comparatively small and weak navy of the English people that seemed no more fitted to contend with the powerful Spanish fleet than a child with a giant.

But the Spanish ships were repulsed and a great tempest wrecked and scattered them, so that not more than a third ever found their way back to Spain. "The Lord came down with a mighty wind and scattered our enemies!"

In 1688, William of Orange landed in England, at the request of her people, to occupy the throne, from which his father-in-law, the detested James II., had been driven by his indignant subjects. This year brought to a close religious persecution in England, for one of William's first acts was to proclaim religious toleration to all his people. Hitherto whatever religious party had been in power it had cruelly persecuted all in opposition to it. The Catholics had persecuted the Protestants, the church of England had persecuted the Puritans, and the Puritans in their turn had persecuted all who disagreed with them. But now, henceforth, no man in England could suffer personal violence for conscience sake.

The year 1788 is especially interesting to us as a Nation, for it is the year in which our Constitution was framed and accepted, the year in which we had our birth as a United Nation.

What a difficult task this was it is hard for us to-day to conceive. Each State was a separate, little Republic in itself, jealous of its neighbors and constantly on the lookout to circumvent and injure them. Some of them had already come to blows on questions of common navigation, and it really seemed that after all the blood and treasure that they had spent, the best that could be hoped for was a collection of independent colonies, like the petty States of Greece and Italy. Foreign statesmen flouted the idea of a United Nation, and declared it to be a simple impossibility, while it seemed impossible to make the people themselves comprehend the benefits to be derived from a central and united government.

In such a state of affairs the men who devised our Constitution had before them a Herculean task, and that they succeeded under such difficulties in framing a code that could be accepted by all the States—North and South—gives us the idea of almost superhuman wisdom.

At that time not a single nation in all Europe had a written Constitution; to-day all, except Russia, have followed our example in that particular. John Stewart Mill says of ours that it is "the grandest specimen of human wisdom the world ever saw."

That year, too, saw the outbreak of the French Revolution, which, in spite of its horrible deeds of blood-shed and cruelty, really began the era of human rights in the long oppressed country and led to its present prosperity and development.

In closing the speaker suggested, for the benefit of students of history, in what way these dates and their accompanying associations may be made hooks upon which to hang the various events of historical information preceding and following those already described, thus arranging them in the mind in a connected manner that will be readily remembered and made useful.

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meeting and Mr. F. H. Nickerson, Clerk. In a short time the warrants for the city election will be issued. Next Monday evening the Republicans will hold a caucus in City Hall to nominate a candidate for Mayor.

NEWPORT.

At the annual town meeting held in Newport Monday the following officers were elected: Moderator, R. H. Libbey; Town Clerk, C. H. Morrill; Selectmen and Assessors, S. P. Judkins, W. A. Lewis, E. D. Doble; Supervisor, H. A. King; Constable, W. M. Stuart; Treasurer, O. H. Judkins; Collector, Robert Jenkins; Town Agent, S. P. Judkins; Auditor, W. H. Mitchell.

Raised—$2,000 for town charges; $1,160.80 for support of schools; $250 for free high schools; $2,000 for roads and bridges; $500 for road machine; $25 for Decoration Day.

HAMPDEN.

At the annual meeting held Monday the following officers were elected: George Sweetser, Moderator; H. W. Mayo, Clerk; Horace Pickard, C. T. Pickard and F. G. Rogers, Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor; C. T. Pickard, Supervisor of Schools; J. H. Butler, Collector and Treasurer.

It was voted to raise $2,500 for schools; $1,200 for the poor; $800 cash for roads and bridges; $4,000 in labor for roads and bridges; $200 for abatements; $1,000 for discounts; $1,000 for contingent expenses.

Voted to authorize the Selectmen to hire money for temporary purposes.

Voted $50 to F. G. Flagg Post for Memorial Day.

The ladies of the Congregational church furnished a dinner in Masonic dining hall during the day, the proceeds for the benefit of the church.

AMUSEMENTS.

"The Merry War" at the Opera House.

The Wilbur Opera Company opened a week's engagement at the Opera House last evening, presenting the "Merry War." Owing to the fact of the arrival of the company on the evening train from Lowell, Mass., the performance did not commence at the usual time, but was delayed about fifteen minutes. The orchestra did not play last evening, having had no time to rehearse the music, and the opera was given with only a piano accompaniment, but the orchestra will officiate the remainder of the week. There was a large audience present, among the number being a pleasant theatre party given by Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Owen. The company is composed of good singers, the chorus being well trained, and the costumes are elegant and appropriate.

The soloists are well known in this city and did themselves ample justice. Miss Kirwin is a favorite here and her fine voice was heard again with pleasure, while her acting was excellent. Her first appearance was greeted with applause. An addition to the company has been made in the person of Miss Alice Verona, who has a very pleasing presence and a good voice. Miss Christin acquitted herself admirably in her role. Mr. Kohnle was good, as is usually the case, his dialect well done, and, although the part is one which does not display his powers as a comedian to any great extent, was well received. Messrs. Conly, Nares and the remainder of the cast did very well. The marching in the third act was an enjoyable feature and was well executed.

This evening "The Noble Beggars" will be given. On Friday "Fra Diavolo" will be presented instead of "Girofle-Girofla," as was first intended. There will doubtless be large audiences during the week.

Our Own Folks and Other Folks.

Mr. Harry Duncan, of Portland, is in the city.

Mr. Fred A. Porter is in Boston on a short visit.

Col. J. W. Porter is in Augusta for a few [illegible] on business.

[illegible] W. H. Shaw, of Kenduskeag, was in [illegible] yesterday.

[illegible] Carrie Zelle goes to Boston to-day [illegible] extended visit.

[illegible] A. A. Burleigh, of Houlton, was at [illegible] ngor House yesterday.

[illegible] J. B. Nowhall, of Oakland, was in [illegible] y yesterday on business.

[illegible] C. Emerson left yesterday for a [illegible] weeks business trip to New York.

[illegible] learn that Mr. A. W. Thayer was a [illegible] more comfortable at a late hour last [illegible]

[illegible] Mrs. A. W. Dudley and H. B. Mower [illegible] t Bangor, have returned from a trip [illegible] Scotia.

[illegible] Preble and Miss Preble, of Ayer, [illegible] are the guests of Mrs. Isaac Lunt, [illegible] ove street.

[illegible] O. F. Patten and daughter left on [illegible] evening's train for Boston to attend [illegible] illinery openings.

[illegible] Fenwick Post G. A. R., of Bath, has [illegible] ed Gen. Charles Hamlin, of this city [illegible] ver the Memorial Day address.

[illegible] Warren A. Bragg left yesterday for a business trip to Aroostook [illegible] ty. He will be absent about a week.

[illegible] W. S. Laton, of Minneapolis, is in [illegible] ty for a few days visiting his nieces, [illegible] L. P. Church and Mrs. E. F. Gelle[illegible]

[illegible] James Young, travelling passenger [illegible] of the Chicago, Quincy & Burlington [illegible] ailroad, was in the city yesterday on [illegible] ness.

[illegible] William P. Dickey leaves on the [illegible] man train this evening for Boston, [illegible] re he will join his wife and daughter. [illegible] will go on to Washington for a visit.

A Washington despatch says Hon. Hannibal Hamlin left that city Saturday morning to visit a grandson in New York. They will afterwards visit Mrs. Hamlin's sister in Boston, and go from there to their homes in Bangor.

Congressman Boutelle was appointed by Speaker Carlisle as a member of the Congressional Committee, for Maine, to attend the celebration of the centennial of the inauguration of President Washington, in New York, April 30.

Resolutions of Respect.

Whereas, It has pleased Divine Providence to remove from our number one who by long association has become an object of strong attachment and brotherly love.

Resolved, That we, the officers and members of the Bangor Reform Club, recognizing the justice and love of our Heavenly Father, and remembering the faithfulness and constancy with which our departed brother, Moses P. Carson, has kept his pledge during the fourteen years or more which he has been connected with this organization, and the promptness and efficiency with which he has served in the capacity of janitor of the [illegible] for the period of ten years or more, [illegible]

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Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the two daily papers of this city and that a copy of the same be [illegible]

ATTEMPTED HIGHWAY ROBBERY. Last evening at about half past seven o'clock as Mr. William Bryant, of the firm of Marston & Bryant, livery stable keepers, was on his way home, he was overtaken on State street by a strange man who walked along with him. They chatted pleasantly until they arrived in the vicinity of Elm street when the man suddenly grabbed Bryant and attempted to rob him of quite a sum of money which he had on his person. They had a severe tussle when the would be highwayman found that he had more than a match and he broke away and made tracks. Mr. Bryant came back to the residence of Dr. Laughton where he telephoned for the police and Officer Bickford went up and accompanied Mr. Bryant home. He described his assailant as a tall, smooth faced man and feels sure that he would be able to identify him. The fellow left his hat behind him and it is now in the possession of the police. It was a black derby hat and was evidently purchased at Sullivan's. This was indeed a bold attempt at robbery and if the fellow is apprehended he is a candidate for Thomaston.

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Mattawamkeag Log Driving Company.

The annual meeting of the Mattawamkeag Log Driving Company for the choice of officers and the transaction of any other business that may legally come before said meeting, will be held at the office of Abram Moor in Bangor, on TUESDAY, the nineteenth day of March, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

The Directors chosen at the above meeting will be in session at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon of the same day, at said office, for the purpose of receiving bids for driving, the Penobscot Boom, the logs intended to be driven by said Company this year, said Directors reserving the right to reject any or all bids made. Per Order,

ABRAM MOOR, Clerk.

Bangor, March 2d, 1889.

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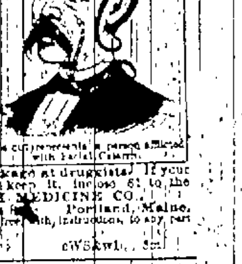

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Notice to Contractors.

Sealed proposals will be received by the Moosehead Lake Hotel Co., Greenville, Me., until March 25th, 1889, for building a Hotel at Greenville Junction, Me., according to plans and specifications which can be seen at the office of W. E. Mansur, Architect, 20 West Market Square, Bangor, Me. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

W. H. FOLSOM, Clerk.

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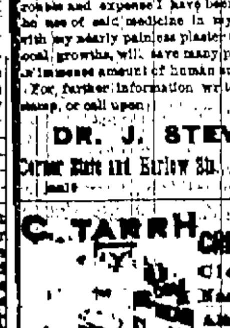

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The sorting and tying up of the flowers she always left until she was sitting under the awning in front of the Broodhuis, the same awning, tawny as an autumn pear, and weather-blown as an old sail, which had served to shelter Antoine Mace from heat and rain through all the years of his life.

"Go to the Madelaine, you will make money there, with your pretty blue eyes, Bebee," people had said to her of late; but Bebee had shaken her head.

Where she had sat in her babyhood at Antoine's feet, she would sit so long as she sold flowers in Brussels—here, underneath the shadow of the Gothic towers that saw Egmont die.

Here Bebee, from 3 years old, had been used to sit beside him. She knew all the people—the old cobbler, who sat next her, and chattered all day—long like a magpie; the tinker, who had come up many a summer night to drink a glass with Antoine; the Cheap John, who cheated everybody else, but who had always given her a toy or trinket at every Fete Dieu all the summers she had known; the little old woman, sour as a crab, who sold rosaries and pictures of saints, and little waxen Christs upon a tray; the big dogs who pulled the carts in, and lay panting all day under the high bottomed chairs on which the egg wives and the fruit sellers sat, and knitted and chattered; nay, even the gorgeous bulkier and the frowning gendarme, who marshaled the folks into order as they went up for municipal registries, or for town misdemeanors. She knew them all; and known them all ever since she had first trotted in like a little dog at Antoine's heels.

So Bebee stayed there.

It is, perhaps, the most beautiful square in all northern Europe, with its black timbers and gilded carvings, and tinzoned windows, and majestic scutcheons, and fantastic pinnacles. That Bebee did not know, but she loved it, and she sat resolutely in front of the Broodhuis, selling her flowers, smiling, chatting, helping the old woman, counting her little gains, eating her bit of bread at noonday like any other market girl, but at times glancing up to the majestic towers and the blue sky, with a look on her face that made the old tinker and cobbler whisper together: "What does she see there—the dead people or the angels?"

The truth was that even Bebee herself did not know very surely what she saw—something that was still nearer to her than even this kindly crowd that loved her. That was all she could have said had anybody asked her.

But none did.

No one wanted to hear what the dead said; and for the angels, the tinker and the cobbler were of opinion that one had only too much of them sculptured about everywhere, and shrieking on all the casements—in reverence be it spoken, of course.

CHAPTER III.

"I remembered it was your name day, child. Here are half a dozen eggs," said one of the bed wives; and the little cross woman with the peddler's tray added a waxen St. Agnes, colored red and yellow to the very life, no doubt, and the old Cheap John had saved her a cage for the starling; and the tinker had a cream cheese for her in a vine leaf, and the sweetmeat seller brought her a beautiful gilded horn of sugar plums, and the cobbler had made her actually a pair of shoes—red shoes, beautiful shoes to go to mass in and be a wonder in to all the neighborhood. And they thronged round her and adored the silver waist buckles; and when Bebee got fairly to her stall and traffic began, she thought once more that nobody's feast day had ever dawned like hers.

When the chimes began to ring all over the city she could hardly believe that the carillon was not saying its "Laus Deo" with some special meaning in its bells of her.

The morning went by as usual; the noise of the things about her like a driving of angry winds, but no more hurting her than the angels on the roof of St. Gudule are hurt by the storm when it breaks.

The day was a busy one, and brought in good profit. Bebee had no less than fifty sous in her leather pouch when it was over—a sum of magnitude in the green lane by Laeken.

A few of her mass roses were still unsold, that was all, when the Ave Maria began ringing over the town and the people dispersed to their homes or their pleasurings.

It was a warm gray evening; the streets were full, there were blossoms in all the balconies, and gay colors in all the dresses. The old tinker put his tools together and whispered to her:

"Bebee, as it is your feast day, come and stroll in St. Hubert's gallery, and I will buy you a little gilt heart, or a sugar apple stick, or a ribbon, and we can see the puppet show afterwards, eh?"

But the children were waiting at home; she would not spend the evening in the city; she only thought she might just kneel a moment in the cathedral and say a little prayer or two for a minute—the saints were so good in giving her so many friends.

People looked after her as she went through the twisting, picture like streets, where sunlight fell still between the peaked high roofs, and lamps were here and there lit in the brilliantly-bright shops and the fruit stalls.

Her little musk cap blew back like the wings of a white butterfly. Her sunny hair caught the last sun rays. Her feet were fair in the brown wooden shoes. Under the short woolen skirts the grace of her pretty limbs moved freely. Her broad silver clasps shone like a shield, and she was utterly unconscious that any one looked; she was simply and gravely intent on reaching St. Gudule to say her one prayer and not keep the children waiting.

Some one leaning idly over a balcony in the street that is named after Mary of Burgundy saw her going thus. He left the balcony and went down his stairs and followed her.

The sun dazzle on the silver had first caught his sight, and then he had looked downward at the pretty foot.

These are the chances women call fate.

Bebee made her salutations to the high altar, and stole on into the chapel of the Saint Sacrament; it was that one that she loved best.

She said her prayer and thanked the saints for all their gifts and goodness, her clasped hand against her silver shield, her basket on the pavement by her, above head the sunset rays streaming purple and crimson and golden through the painted windows that are the wonder of the world.

When her prayer was done she still knelt there; her head thrown back to watch the light, her hands clasped still, and on her upturned face the look that made the people say, "What does she see—the angels or the dead?"

She forgot everything. She forgot the cherries at home, and the children even. She was looking upward at the stories of the painted panes; she was listening to the message of the dying sunrays; she was feeling vaguely, wistfully, unutterably, the tender beauty of the sacred place and the awful wonder of the world in which she with her sixteen years was all alone, like a little blue corn flower among the wheat that goes for grist and the barley that makes men drunk.

—was it right?—would the children be sorry and go supperless to bed?

"Have you a rosebud left to sell to me?" a man's voice said not far off; it was low and sweet as became the Sacrament chapel.

Bebee looked up; she did not quite know what she saw; only dark eyes smiling into hers.

By the instinct of habit she sought in her basket and found three moss roses; she held them out to him.

"I don't sell flowers here, but I will give them to you," she said, in her pretty, grave, childish fashion.

"I often want flowers," said the stranger, as he took the buds. "Where do you sell yours—in the market?"

"In the Grand place."

"Will you tell me your name, pretty one?"

"I am Bebee."

There were people coming into the church. The lights were beginning above head for vespers. There was a shuffle of chairs and a stir of feet. Boys in white went to and fro, lighting the candles. Great clouds of shadow drifted up into the roof and hid the angels.

She nodded her little head to him.

"Good night; I cannot stay. I have a cake at home to-night, and the children are waiting."

"Ah! that is important, no doubt, indeed. Will you buy some more cakes for the children from me?"

He slid a gold piece in her hand. She looked at it in amaze. In the green lanes by Laeken no one ever saw gold. Then she gave it him back.

"I will not take money in church, nor anywhere, except when the flowers are worth. Good night."

He followed her and held back the heavy oak door for her, and went out into the air with her.

It was dark already, but in the square there was still the cool, bright, princess colored evening light.

Bebee's wooden shoes went pattering down the sloping and uneven stones. Her little gray figure ran quickly through the deep shade cast from the towers and walls. Her dreams had drifted away. She was thinking of the children and the cake.

"You are in such a hurry because of the cake" said her new customer, as he followed her.

Bebee looked back at him with a smile in her blue eyes.

"Yes; they will be waiting, you know, and there are cherries, too."

"It is a grand day with you then!"

"It is my fete day; I am 16."

She was proud of this. She told it to the very dogs in the street.

"Ah! you feel old, I dare say."

"Oh, quite old! They cannot call me a child any more."

"Of course not; it would be ridiculous. Are those presents in your basket?"

"Yes, every one of them." She paused a moment to lift the dead vine leaves and show him the beautiful shining red shoes. "Look! old Gringoire gave me these. I shall wear them at mass next Sunday. I never had a pair of shoes in my life."

"But how will you wear shoes without stockings?"

"I was a snake cast into her Eden.

She had never thought of it.

"Perhaps I can save money and buy some," she answered, after a sad little pause. "But that I could not do till next year. They would cost several francs, I suppose."

"Unless a good fairy gives them to you!"

Bebee smiled; fairies were real things to her—relations indeed. She did not imagine that he spoke in jest.

"Sometimes I pray very much, and things come," she said, softly. "When the Gloire de Dijon was cut back too soon one summer, and never blossomed, and we all thought it was dead, I prayed all day long for it, and never thought of anything else; and by autumn it was all in new leaf, and now its flowers are finer than ever."

"But you watched it whilst you prayed, I suppose?"

The sarcasm escaped her.

She was wondering to herself whether it would be vain and wicked to pray for a pair of stockings; she thought she would go and ask Father Francis.

By this time they were in the Rue Royale, and half way down it. The lamps were lighted. A regiment was marching up with a band playing. The windows were open and people were laughing and singing in some of them. The light caught the white and gilded fronts of the houses. The pleasure seeking crowds loitered along in the warmth of the evening.

Bebee, suddenly roused from her thoughts by the loud challenge of the military music, looked round on the stranger, and noticed him back.

"Go—I do not know you—why should you come with me? It is not do it, please. You make me talk, and that makes me late."

And she pushed her basket further on her arm, and nodded to him, and ran off—as freely as a hare, through fern—among the press of the people.

"To-morrow, little one," he answered, her with a careless smile, and let her go unpursued. Above, from the open casement of a cafe, some young men and some painted women leaned out, and threw sweetmeats at him, as in carnival time.

"A new model—that pretty peasant!" they asked him.

He laughed in answer, and went up the steps to join them; he dropped the moss roses as he went, and trod on them, and did not walk.

CHAPTER IV.

Bebee ran home as fast as her feet would take her.

The children were all gathered about her gate in the dusky, dewy evening; they met her with shouts of welcome and reproach interpingled, they had been watching for her since first the sun had grown low and red, and now the moon was risen.

But they, forgave her when they saw the splendor of her presents, and she showered out among them Pere Melchior's horn of comfits.

They dashed into the hut, they dragged the one little table out among the flowers; the cherries and cake were spread on it, and the miller's wife had given a big jug of milk, and Father Francis himself had sent some honeycomb.

The early roses were full of scent in the dew; the great gillyflowers breathed out fragrance in the dusk; the goat came and nibbled the sweetbrier unrebuked; the children repeated the Flemish bread grace, with clasped hands and reverent eyes: "Oh, dear little Jesus, come and sup with us, and bring your beautiful Mother too; we will not forget you are God." Then, that said, they ate, and drank, and laughed, and picked cherries from each other's mouths like little blackbirds; the big white dog gnawed a crust at their feet; old Krebs, who had a fiddle, and could play it, came out and trilled them rude and ready Flemish tunes, such as Teniers or Morals might have jumped to before an ale house at the Kermesse; Bebee and the children joined hands, and danced round together in the broad white moonlight on the grass and by the water side; the fillers came and sat about, the women netting or spinning, and the men smoking a pipe before bed time; the rough, hearty Flemish bubbled like a brook in gossip, or rung like a horn over a jest; Bebee and the children, tired of their play, grew quiet, and chanted together the "Ave Maria Stella Virginis," a nightingale among the willows sang to the sleeping swans.

It was happy, quiet, homely, lovely also in its simple way.

They went early to their beds, as people must do who rise at dawn.

Bebee leaned out a moment from her own little casement ere she too went to rest.

Through an open lattice there sounded the murmur of some little child's prayer; the night sighed among the willows; the nightingales sang on in the dark—all was still.

Hard work awaited her on the morrow, and on all the other days of the year.

She was only a little peasant—she must reap, and spin, and dig, and delve, to get her bit of black bread—but that night she was as happy as a little princess in a fairy tale, happy in her playmates, in her flowers, in her sixteen years, in her red shoes, in her silver buckles, because she was half a woman; happy in the dewy heaven, in the singing birds in the hush of the night, in the scent of roses, in the fragrance of flowers, in the drifting changes of moon and clouds; happy because she was half a woman, because she was half a poet, because she was wholly a poet.

"Oh, dear swans, how good it is to be 16! How good it is to live at all—do you not tell the willows so?" said Bebee to the gleam of silver under the dark leaves by the water side, which showed her where her friends were sleeping, with their snowy wings closed over their shiny heads, and her velvet gold and ruby of their eyes.

The swans did not make to answer.

Only the nightingale answered from the willows, with Bonbonnière song.

But Bebee had never heard of Bonbonnière, and the willows and the [illegible]

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GOING EAST.

6.45 A. M.—For St. Stephen, Aroostook County, St. John and all points East of Bangor on the Provincial Railway, with Parlor Car for Vanceboro.

7.30 A. M.—For Belfast, and intermediate points.

12.10 P. M.—For Oldtown and points North; also for Oldtown with Bangor & Piscataquis Railroad.

1.25 P. M.—For Oldtown.

5.30 P. M.—For Belfast and points North; also for Aroostook County, St. John and Halifax.

GOING WEST.

7.45 A. M.—For Portland and points West; also for points from Waterville, connecting with Boston roads at Junction points with Boston and Maine Railroad.

12.25 P. M.—For Augusta, Gardiner, Lewiston, Bath, Lewiston, Rockland, Rockland, Thomaston and Bangor, through Parlor Car.

7.45 P. M.—Night Express Train for Portland and points West, daily except Saturdays, through Parlor Car Boston to Portland.

12.25 P. M.—Mixed train for Waterville and Farmington, daily except Sundays.

Sleeping Cars run between Bangor and Boston every night, Sundays excepted.

BUCKSPORT BRANCH.

7.30 A. M. and 5.40 P. M.—Arrive in Bucksport at 8.25 A. M. and 6.05 P. M.

Leave Bucksport at 6.15 A. M. and 1.40 P. M.—Arrive in Bangor at 7.00 A. M. and 2.25 P. M.

MT. DESERT BRANCH.

Trains leave Bangor at 7.00 A. M. and 1.40 P. M. for Ellsworth and Bar Harbor.

Trains leave Bar Harbor daily except Sundays, at 6.00 A. M. (freight), 7.15 A. M., 12.30 P. M. and 5.45 P. M.

Leave Ellsworth at 6.45 A. M., 12.00 M. and 5.00 P. M. for Bar Harbor and Bangor.

ARRIVALS.

Express Trains from the East arrive at Bangor at 12.15 P. M., 7.40 P. M., 12.45 A. M.

From Portland and points West, 12.15 P. M., 7.40 P. M., 12.45 A. M.

From Oldtown and Mattawamkeag, 10.45 A. M., 7.40 P. M., 12.45 A. M.

From Belfast and points North, 10.45 A. M., 7.40 P. M., 12.45 A. M.

From Bucksport, 8.45 A. M., 5.30 P. M.

From Bar Harbor, 8.45 A. M., 5.30 P. M.

Connections at Junctions, Waterville, Brunswick, Portland, Rockland, Oldtown, Vanceboro, Bar Harbor, Bucksport, Ellsworth, Mattawamkeag, Houlton, Woodstock, St. Stephen, Fredericton, Grand Falls, Edmundston, St. Leonard, Perth Junction, Andover, Gardiner, Farmington, Phillips, Rangeley, Dexter, Dover, Foxcroft, Greenville, Millinocket, Patten, Danforth, Princeton, Calais, St. Andrews, St. Stephen, Houlton, Woodstock